

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: §
Olivier Lavastre et al. §
Serial No.: 10/591,408 § Group Art Unit: 1796
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Confirmation No.: 3407 §
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Filed: July 19, 2007 § Examiner: C. Caixia Lu
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For: Ionic Liquids for Heterogenizing § Atty. Docket No.: F-916
Metallocene Catalysts §
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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Dear Honorable Commissioner:

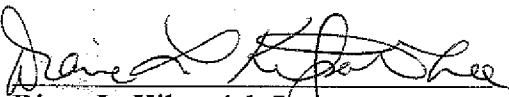
TRANSMITTAL LETTER AND FEE AUTHORIZATION

In response to the Notification of Non-Compliant Appeal Brief, Applicants respectfully submit the attached copy of Notification of Non-Compliant Appeal Brief and Replacement Sheets to the Appeal Brief.

No further fees are believed due, but the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees that may be required for this submission, or credit any overpayments to Deposit Account Number 03-3345.

Respectfully submitted,

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